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## LOK SABHA

The following Bill was introduced in Lok Sabha on the 29th April, 1965:—

BILL No. 28 OF 1965

*A Bill further to amend the Representation of the People Act, 1950.*

BE it enacted by Parliament in the Sixteenth Year of the Republic of India as follows:—

1. This Act may be called the Representation of the People (Amendment) Act, 1965. Short title.

5 2. In the Fourth Schedule to the Representation of the People Act, 1950,— Amendment of Fourth Schedule to Act 43 of 1950.

(a) under the heading "ANDHRA PRADESH", the entry "4 City and Town Committees." shall be omitted:

(b) under the heading "MYSORE", after the entry "4. Notified Area Committees.", the entry "5. Town Panchayats." shall be inserted;

(c) under the heading "WEST BENGAL",—

(i) for the entry "2. District Boards.", the entry "2. 5 Zilla Parishads." shall be substituted,

(ii) for the entry "4. Local Boards.", the following entries shall be substituted, namely:—

"4. Anchalik Parishads.

5. Town Committees."

## STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS

The local authorities specified in the Fourth Schedule to the Representation of the People Act, 1950, in pursuance of article 171(3) of the Constitution read with section 27(2) of the above-mentioned Act form the basis of the electorate of local authorities' constituencies of the State Legislative Councils. Unless the lists of these local authorities are kept up-to-date, there are difficulties in the holding of bye-elections from the local authorities' constituencies. With the inauguration in the States, of Panchayat Raj, the list of local authorities appearing in the Fourth Schedule to the Representation of the People Act, 1950 requires modification. The States of Andhra Pradesh, Mysore and West Bengal have suggested the following changes in the list of local authorities:—

1. *Andhra Pradesh*.—Entry No. 4, "City and Town Committees", may be deleted.
2. *Mysore*.—"Town Panchayats" may be added to the existing entries.
3. *West Bengal*.—"District Boards" and "Local Boards" may be substituted by "Zilla Parishads" and "Anchalik Parishads". Also, "Town Committees" may be added to the list.

Any change in the lists of these local authorities can only be effected by Parliament by law. Accordingly the Bill seeks to make the necessary changes in the lists of local authorities in the Fourth Schedule to give effect to the above proposals of the State Governments.

NEW DELHI;  
The 20th April, 1965.

A. K. SEN.

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